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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

ROBERT BRYANT,
Plaintiff,

v.

MATTHEW CATE, et al.,
Defendants.


No. C 12-2191 RS (PR)

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

Pursuant to plaintiff's motion for voluntary dismissal (Docket No. 29), this federal civil rights action is dismissed. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1) ("[A]n action may be dismissed by the plaintiff without order of the court . . . by filing a notice of dismissal."); *Hamilton v. Shearson-Lehman American Exp. Inc.*, 813 F.2d 1532, 1534–1536 (9th Cir. 1987) (Rule 41(a)(1)(I) does not require leave of court to dismiss the action). The dismissal is without prejudice. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1). Defendants' motion to dismiss (Docket No. 20) is DENIED without prejudice. The Clerk shall terminate Docket Nos. 20 and 29, enter judgment in favor of defendants, and close the file.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: April 18, 2013


RICHARD SEEBORG
United States District Judge

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